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From our jars and tins to your table...
Dish up North Carolina's Specialty foods!

Good, from-scratch food has always been part and parcel of the Southern hospitality our area of the country is known for. Whether it's a finely-rolled Moravian cookie or a mouth-watering cheddar cheese straw with just the right hint of cayenne, such products are specialties that are three and four centuries old.



Products with a cultural history, such as a delicately aged country ham, have paved the way for the new North Carolina specialty food offerings. From smokin' salsas to a keylime/habanero pepper dessert topping, goat cheese to a teriyaki vinaigrette, the flavor and diversity of North Carolina's kitchens are abundant.

The North Carolina Specialty Foods Association is a young, dynamic organization serving more than 50 TarHeel companies. Its mission is to actively encourage and support the promotion and appreciation of the state's specialty food, beverage and wine products.

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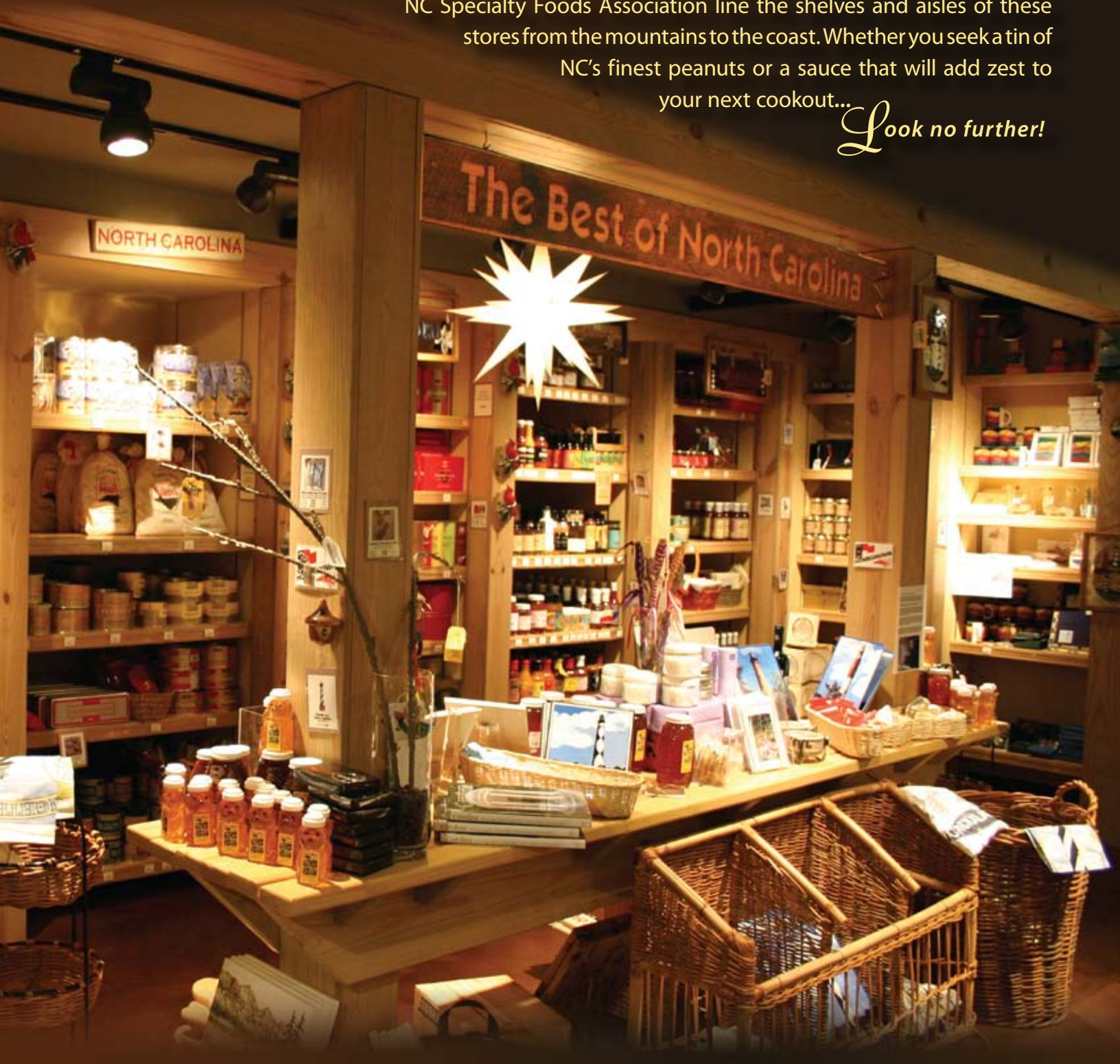
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